## REQUEST FOR MILITARY AERIAL SUPPORT ALL EVENT SPONSORS MUST READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGE 4 BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM.

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				SECTIO	NI-A	CTIVITY						
1. CATEGORY REQUESTED (X and			(1) DATE OF EVENT	(2) TYPE AIRCRAFT REQUESTED			(3) MILITARY SERVICE REQUES			STED		
complete as applicable)			(YYYYMMDD)	ANY (X) SPECIFIC (Optional)		ALL (X)	SPECIFIC (Optional)					
	a. FLYOVER (Se Instructions)	ee paragr	aph 4 of									
	b. STATIC DISPL 5 of Instruction		paragraph									
	c. SINGLE AIRCF (See paragrap											
	d. OTHER AERIA (i.e. Parachut											
e. AERIAL DEMONSTRATION TEAM (X all requested. See Instructions.)				(a) PRIMARY DATE (b) ALTERNATE DATE(S) (YYYYMMDD)				(c) I WILL CONSIDER ANY DATE DURING AIR SHOW SEASON (X one)				
U.S. ARMY GOLDEN KNIGHTS			GHTS							VEC		
	U.S. NAVY BLUE	E ANGELS	S							YES		
	U.S. AIR FORCE	THUNDE	RBIRDS							NO		
	OTHER (Specify)									NO		
			S	ECTION II - EVEN	IT AND	SITE INFOR	MATION					
2.a. E	VENT TITLE											
b. SITE	OF EVENT			c. CITY AND STATE		d. SITE ELEVATION (Feet above sea level)		e. RUNWAY LENGTH X WIDTH				
f ADDI	ESTING GEAR (X o	one)		g. TYPE OF SITE (i.e., airport, park, lake, etc.)			)					
1. Aidi	YES		NO	g. THE OF SHE (i.e.	o., an port	, park, lake, etc.	,					
EVENT SITE CERTIFICATION (To be compile certify that an agreement has been made above.      NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)				eted by an agent exercising authority for site use) with the sponsoring organization indicated in Section II  b. TITLE				c. TELEPHONE NO. (Include area code)				
d. SIGI	NATURE							e. DATE	SIGNEI	YYYYI	MMDD)	
4. INCLUSIVE DATES OF EVENT (YYYYMMD)				5. IS THERE CIVILIAN AVIATION. PARTICIPATION PLANNED FO							YES NO	
6. AT	TENDANCE				7. PLAN	INED MEDIA C	OVERAGE (	'X as app	licable)		ı	
a. PROJECTED b. PRIOR EVENT			b. PRIOR EVENT	TELEVISION				PRINT				
						RADIO		1	IONE			
				SECTION III - S	PONSO	R INFORMA	TION					
	CAL SPONSORI	NG ORG	ANIZATION							b. TYPE	(X one)	
a. NAN	ΛE								PROFIT NONPROFIT		OFIT	
9. POI	INT OF CONTAC	CT FOR	AVIATION ACTIV	ITIES FOR THIS EV	ENT							
a. (X one) MS. b. NAME (Last, OTHER					irst, Middle Initial)			c. RANK (If military)				
d. ADD	RESS			•								
(1) NUMBER AND STREET/SUITE NUMBER					(2) CITY			(3) STATE (4) ZIP CODE				
e. TELEPHONE NO. (Include area code or DSN if military) (1)				f. E-MAIL ADDRESS	DRESS			g. FAX NO. (Include area code)				
(2)												

	SECT	FION III - SPONSOR INFORMATION (Continued)								
	0. IS EVENT OFFICIALLY SUPPORTED BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT (X one)									
11. W	11. WILL YOU PROVIDE POST-EVENT REPORT ON REQUEST? (X one)									
	12. DOES SPONSORING ORGANIZATION PERMIT MEMBERSHIP WITHOUT REGARD TO RACE, RELIGION, SEX OR COLOR? (X one)									
	13. WILL ALL ASPECTS OF THIS EVENT BE AVAILABLE TO ALL PERSONS WITHOUT REGARD TO RACE, RELIGION, SEX OR COLOR? (X one)									
14. W	14. WILL THE EVENT BE OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC? (X one)									
	SECTION IV - FEDERAL A	AVIATION ADMINISTRATION COORDINATION	(Airspace Coordination)							
<u>B</u>		D FOR U.S. MILITARY SUPPORT, THE SPONSOR MUS FFICE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTROLLING THE AERIAL			<u>D</u>					
For events where the airspace falls under the purview of the United States Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) coordination is required for all U.S. military aviation activities described in Section I EXCEPT AIRCRAFT STATIC DISPLAYS. THE SPONSOR WILL FORWARD THIS DOCUMENT, WITH SECTIONS I THROUGH III AND SECTIONS V THROUGH VII COMPLETED, TO THE FLIGHT STANDARDS DISTRICT OFFICE (FSDO) HAVING JURISDICTION OVER THE SITE. After completion of Section IV by the FSDO, form will be returned to the sponsor for submission to DoD. Sponsors will allow a minimum of 45 days for FAA review and completion.										
	LIGHT STANDARDS DISTRICT OFFICE RE		icable)							
<u>'</u>	I have reviewed the requested activity in Section I and determined that: (X and complete as applicable)  a. FAA/OTHER GOVERNMENTAL WAIVER IS NOT REQUIRED.									
	b. WAIVER IS REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENT(S) LISTED IN SECTION I: (Specify)									
	c. COORDINATION HAS BEEN ACCOM	PLISHED WITH CONTROLLING AIR TRAFFIC CONTRO	L FACILITY.							
	d. AIR TRAFFIC COORDINATION IS NO	T REQUIRED.								
	e. DEMONSTRATION SITE FEASIBILITY STUDY IS REQUIRED AND SITE PLAN WAS SUBMITTED BY THE SPONSOR. (Must meet show line, crowd line, airspace parameters and show congested areas, dwellings, thoroughfares, and obstructions within 3 NM of show center.)									
	f. DEMONSTRATION SITE FEASIBILITY STUDY IS NOT REQUIRED. g. NO MAJOR NOISE CONCERNS IN THE REQUESTED AIRSPACE.									
16. F	16. FEASIBILITY DETERMINATION Based upon my review of this site, I find the site to be: (X one)									
	SATISFACTORY	CONDITIONAL SATISFACTORY (See NOTE)	UNSATISFACTORY (See NOTE)							
"Satist		Satisfactory", explain the conditions which must be m section. If the show site is marked "Unsatisfactory," these.								
17. A	DDITIONAL COMMENTS (Mandatory if I	FARs are waived)								
18. COORDINATING OFFICIAL										
	AME (Last, First, Middle Initial)	b. FLIGHT STANDARDS DISTRICT OFFICE	c. TELEPHONE NO. (Include a	clude area code)						
d. SIGNATURE  e. DATE SIGNED (YYYYMMDD)										

	SECTION V - PROGRAM							
19.	19. PROGRAM THEME AND OBJECTIVE (Please explain how aviation support is an integral part of the event.)							
20	CHARGES AND FEES							
		h DAD	NINC	0 SEA	TINC	d OTHED (Specify)		
а.	ADMISSION b. PARKING c. SEATING d. OTHER (Specify)							
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e.	DOES EVENT RAISE	f. FUNDS WILL BE USED I		FOR (X a	s applicable)	g. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF FUNDS		
	FUNDS? (X one)	(1) CHARITIES		(4) OTHER				
	YES (Complete 20.f. and		(2) EXPENSES		(Explain in			
	NO		(3) PRIZES		20.g.)			
21.	HISTORICAL INFORMATION							
a.	LIST ALL YEARS THE EVENT	b. LAS	T AERIAL DEMONS	TRATION	AND YEAR OF	c. LIST CIVILIAN AND MIL	ITARY AIRCRAF	T AT LAST
	HAS BEEN HELD		•	Blue Angels, Thunderbirds,		YEAR'S EVENT		
		Gol	den Knights)					
		SE	CTION VI - SU	PPORT	(All Requests ot	her than Flyovers)		
22	THE SPONSOR AGREES TO: (						ligible for	
22.	all support other than Flyovers		ich hem signilying	accept	ance. Lack of iiii	tials refluers the event inc	ligible for	INITIALS
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a.	A WAIVER (plan a 60-day lead							
	CANCELLATION AT THE EXPE			A A	VAIVER WILL RES	OCT IN DEMONSTRATION	•	
b.	PAY TEAM COSTS AS OUTLIN	IED ON	PAGE 4, PARAGR	APHS 6	OR 8 OF INSTRU	JCTIONS, AS APPLICABLE	Ξ.	
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c.	c. PROVIDE OR REIMBURSE TRANSPORTATION, MEALS, AND QUARTERS COSTS (including pre-event visits) FOR							
	ARMED FORCES PARTICIPANTS, AS REQUIRED. (Reimbursement for demonstration teams covered in paragraphs							
	6 or 8 of Instructions.)							
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a.	d. PROVIDE SUITABLE AIRCRAFT FUEL AT MILITARY CONTRACT PRICES. (Sponsor must pay all costs over military contract prices, including any transportation and handling charges, if fuel is not available at such prices.)							
	Tillitary contract prices, includ	ing any	transportation and	a Hariuiii	ng charges, ir rue	i is not avaliable at such p	rices.)	
e.	e. PROVIDE SECURITY FOR AIRCRAFT AT EVENT SITE DURING ENTIRE STAY. (Certain assets (i.e., B-2 and F-117)							
	will require extensive security.)							
f.	PROVIDE MOBILE FIREFIGHTIN						E SHOW	
	SITE FOR FLIGHT AND PARAC	HUTE D	EMONSTRATION	S AND	STATIC DISPLAY	AIRCRAFT.		
g.	PROVIDE AMBULANCE AND M	1EDICAL	PERSONNEL ON	SITE D	URING FLIGHT AN	ND PARACHUTE DEMONS	TRATIONS	
Ū	AND CERTAIN OTHER TYPES							
h.	PROVIDE TELEPHONE FACILIT	ies for	NECESSARY OF	FICIAL C	COMMUNICATION	IS AT THE EVENT SITE.		
i.	PROVIDE AERIAL PHOTOGRAF	H AND	AIRFIELD DIAGRA	am upo	N REQUEST.			
			SECTION VII	- CERT	<b>TIFICATION BY</b>	SPONSOR		
23.	PRESIDENT/CHAIRMAN OF SP	ONSOR	ING ORGANIZATI	ON/BAS	E OR WING COM	MANDER (If military spon:	sored)	
						- ·		epresentatives
	I certify that the information provided above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that representatives from the military services will contact us to discuss arrangements and additional costs involved prior to final commitments. Any changes							
	to the information on this form							, J
a.	SIGNATURE						b. DATE SIGN	IED (YYYYMMDD)
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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. The attached form is used to request U.S. Armed Forces aircraft participation at public events (maximum of 3 days) in support of community relations programs held outside a military installation, and for requesting an aerial demonstration team (U.S. Army Golden Knights, U.S. Navy Blue Angels, or U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds) to perform on or off a military installation, worldwide. Civilian sponsors must use the form in all instances, while military sponsors need only use this form when requesting performances by the Golden Knights, Blue Angels, or the Thunderbirds (includes joint-use airfields/facilities). This form is used by each Military Service to determine eligibility of an event for military aerial support. Once an event has been approved as eligible, it is the event sponsor's responsibility to coordinate possible military unit participation.
- 2. The event sponsor is responsible for gaining the completion of Section IV, FAA Coordination, prior to submission of the form to each appropriate Military Service. The local Flight Standards District Office that has jurisdiction over the event site will complete all appropriate blocks in Section IV. Requests for static displays only do not require FAA coordination. Complete Sections I III and V VII, and forward the form to the nearest Flight Standards District Office (FSDO) for completion of Section IV.
- 3. The local sponsoring organization is responsible for the accurate completion of the form and conducting the event. The information on this form must be typed or printed in ink, and is used to evaluate the event for compliance with public law and Department of Defense policies, and to determine its eligibility for Armed Forces participation. In all cases, military participation must not interfere with military operations and training programs, and must be at no additional cost to the U.S. Government. Sponsors will consult with local military recruiters and provide, at no charge, prime space at the event site for recruiting activities. Department of Defense is unable to support events for which sponsorship is intended to make a business profit. Events which have an admission charge, or other associated charges, do not necessarily preclude military participation. Military commands cannot participate in events which charge admission unless the military participation is incidental to the event, and not the primary attraction. Incomplete forms, or forms submitted late, cannot be considered and will be returned to the sponsor's representative.
- 4. Requests for flyovers will be considered only for aviation-oriented events (i.e., air shows, airport anniversaries or dedication events), or for patriotic observances (one day only) held in conjunction with Armed Forces Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, POW/MIA Recognition Day, or Veterans Day (event must be within seven days of the actual holiday date to be considered). Flyovers may be performed by operational or training aircraft as determined by the Services. Sponsors of events other than bona fide air shows are prohibited from scheduling more than one Service to conduct the flyover. Once confirmation of participation is gained, other Services will not participate in the event. The Blue Angels and Thunderbirds do not perform flyovers. Requests for flyovers must be received for processing at least 90 days prior to the event for full consideration by the Services. Requests received closer than 30 days will not allow adequate planning for some organizations to support. Requests received 14 days or closer will not be considered. Complete Sections I - III and V - VII, and forward the form to the nearest Flight Standards District Office (FSDO) for completion of Section IV. The missing man formation will not be flown in support of any activities requested on this form. It is reserved for funeral services in honor of active duty rated/designated aviators or dignitaries of the Federal Government or as determined by the Military Services.
- 5. Requests for <u>aircraft static displays</u> will <u>only</u> be considered for air shows, airport events, expositions and fairs, and public events which contribute to the public knowledge of Armed Forces equipment and capabilities (*including recruiting and ROTC events*). Complete Sections I III and V VII (*Section IV is not applicable when requesting static displays only*). Requests may be sent from the sponsoring organization to each Service branch's public affairs office listed in paragraph 9 of these instructions. The sponsor must satisfy all safety and operational requirements for the requested aircraft. Requests received closer than 60 days (*90 days for Marine Corps support*) will not allow adequate planning for some organizations to

- 6. Civilian-sponsored requests for performances by a flight demonstration team (Blue Angels and Thunderbirds) will be considered only for events which are: (1) aviation oriented (i.e. air shows, airport events, historical aviation events); (2) planning civilian aviation participation; (3) open to all Military Services for participation, and (4) held during the air show season (mid-March to mid-November). A partial reimbursement cost (quarters and meals) of \$6,000 per official demonstration (including any performance where admission is charged to view a team) is payable by all nonmilitary sponsors as indicated in the team support manual. Appearances on a military installation or sponsored by a military organization will only be approved in support of an official installation "open house" program (no admission charge/entrance fee). All event sponsors are required to comply with all aspects of the team support manual, as applicable. All requests for an aerial demonstration team must be received by August 1 of the year preceding the year of the event. Complete Sections I - III and V - VII, and forward the form to the nearest FAA Flight Standards District Office (FSDO) for completion of Section IV. The annual schedule will be released in December of the year prior to the season. Subsequent to public release of the schedules, teams will be rescheduled if a scheduled event is cancelled, the original sponsoring organization is changed, or the original event site is changed. Previously validated requests will automatically be reconsidered. NOTE: Blue Angels and Thunderbirds require 6,000 and 7,000 foot runways, respectively, at or within 30-50 nautical miles of the demonstration site. The Blue Angels also require arresting gear located within 80 nautical miles of the demonstration site.
- 7. Requests for single aircraft demonstrations (i.e., F-15, F-14, Harrier) will be considered for events as described in paragraph 6 (1) through (4) above. Army and Air Force single aircraft demonstrations must be received for processing at least 60 days prior to the event. USMC Harrier (AV-8B) and Navy demonstration requests must be received by January 31 each year. The Harrier demonstration can only be performed over a prepared hard surface or open water. (Scheduled Harrier events will receive two aircraft, one for demonstration and one for static display. Fifty gallons of distilled water must be provided for each Harrier demonstration.) Meals, lodging, and transportation for the aircrews must be provided by the sponsor.
- 8. Civilian-sponsored requests for the U.S. Army Parachute Team, the Golden Knights, will be considered for events such as air shows, airport dedications and anniversaries, expositions and fairs, events sponsored by the Army, and those events which contribute to the public knowledge of military and airborne operations, equipment and capabilities. All requests must be received by Army Public Affairs by October 1 of the year preceding the year of the event. Appearances on a military installation will only be approved in support of an official "open house" program. All sponsors, military and civilian, are required to reimburse the team for guarters, meals, ground transportation, and a designated rate for the jump platform (aircraft), as determined by the team, at least two weeks prior to the event (approximately \$2,500 per official show day). The annual schedule will be released in mid-January (approximately 45 days after the flight demonstration teams' schedules). After the official schedule is released, the Golden Knights will consider "add on" performances if received at least 60 days prior to the date of the event. In the event of cancellations, all requests previously validated will automatically be reconsidered, as required. Complete Sections I - III and V - VII, and forward the form to the nearest FAA Flight Standards District Office (FSDO) for completion of Section IV. Please send completed request forms to the appropriate Military Service public affairs office(s) listed below.
- 9. Additional DD Forms 2535 may be obtained through the office(s) listed below, through the nearest military installation public affairs office, or on the Internet at http://web1.whs.osd.mil/icdhome/ddeforms.htm.

  ARMY MARINE CORPS

Office of the Chief of Public Affairs United States Army
Attn: Community Relations Team 1500 Army Pentagon
Washington, DC 20310-1500 (703) 697-6159 (voice) (703) 697-2159 (fax)

NAVY

Navy Office of Information Attn: Aviation (OI-512) 1200 Navy Pentagon Washington, DC 20350-1200 (202) 685-6666 (voice) (202) 685-6669 (fax) MARINE CORPS CMC (PAC), HO USMC Attn: Aviation Coordinator The Pentagon, Room 5E671 Washington, DC 20050 (703) 614-1034 or -1054 (voice) (703) 614-2358 (fax)

AIR FORCE SAF/PAN Attn: Aviation Support 1690 AF Pentagon Washington, DC 20350-1690 (703) 693-2558 (voice) (703) 693-9601 (fax)

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